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President Frye of Police Commis sioners Holds Conference

With Chief Kiely.

McGRATH MAY BE WITNESS.

Charge Made That Many Hand books on the Foreign Races

Are Being Run Un-

der Protection.

of Police Commissioners and Chief Kiely

held a conference in the latter's office at the Four Courts late yesterday afternoon, at which the gambling situation was dis-

As a result, it is probable that the Po-

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DENTIST TRIES TO KILL HIMSELF.

Doctor Joseph H. Witfeld Writes Two Notes to Wife Before Taking Cocaine.

After writing two notes to his wife from whom, it is said, he is separated. Doctor Joseph H. Witfeld, 25 years old, a dentist, residing at No. 3123 Olive street last night attempted to end his life by taking cocaine. At the City Hospital his condition was pronounced serious

Witfeld was discovered unconscious by Mrs. Ada Huff, at whose home he boards

Mrs. Ada Huft, at whose home he boards. She called Patrolman O'Neill of the Eighth District. At the hospital Witfeld refused to give any reason for his attempt to commit suicide.

Before taking the cocaine Witfeld wrote two notes to his wife, One of them, which was written at about 8 o'clock, was as follows:

"Mrs. J. H. Whitfeld: Dearest Edith—Forgive me, as I know not what I am doing. I am to blame for all. I know your value, but did not know how to gain your love. With it I could live forever; without it, never, Larling, forgive me, Goodby to yourself and the baby.

The other letter was written one hour later and was as follows: "Good-by, my darling. Be good to yourself and the haby. Take a too's advice and when you get some money keep it."

Happy Hooligan's Brother Mont-morency Comes to Town Next Sun-day. Don't Fail to Follow His Ad-ventures in the Sunday Republic Comic Section.

Indian Bills Reported.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, Feb. 11.—The House Committee on Indian Affairs to-day reported favorably the Stephens bill, regulating the practice of medicine and pharmacy in the Indian Territory. It also reported the Penrose bill, granting the right-of-way to piping companies in the Indian Territory and Oklahoma.

CAPE TOWN, CAPE COLONY - Sir John Gorden Sprigs, the Premier, has been defeated in the parliamentary election, just held at East London, which he had represented for nearly thirty years.

SPECIALTIES.

PROTECTION AGAINST FIRE AND BURGLAR

SAFE DEPOSIT VAULTS

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DEATHS.

BERGIN-On Thursday, February II, 1994, of scarlet fever, John Sander Bergin, aged 6 years, dearly beloved son of Frank and Jennie

DYE—On Wednesday, February 19, 1994, at 19 a. m., Mary Dye (nee Gilles), beloved daughter of Mrs. Victoria Gilles, mother of Van Buren and Thomas J. Dye and sister of Joseph F. and William J. Gilles and Mrs. Anna Kuhn (nee Gilles), Funeral will take place from residence, No. 123 Dolman street, Friday, February 12, at 2 p. m., to Church of Holy Angels, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetry. Interment private, Little Rock, Ark., papers please copy.

FARLEY-William F. Farley, infant son of James and Rose Ferley (nee O'Rourke), aged 14 months and 5 days, Funeral Saturday, Feb-ruary 13, at 2 n. m. from family residence, No. 508 North Champing avenue, Funeral pri-

HEDTKAMP-On Wednesday, February 10, 1964, at 12:15 p. m., Joseph Theothre Heditamp, denr beloved son of Theodore F. and Anna V. Heditamp (nee Hertling), aged 15 years 5 months. Funeral will take place on Saturday, February 12, at 2 p. m., from family residence, No. 3009 lowa avenue. Friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend.

MAYCOCK—Thursday, February 11, 1994, at 6 p. m., Mrz. Rose S. Maycock, aged 81 years, beloved mother of Thomas and George Maycock and Mrs. William Deickman. The funeral will take place from family residence, No. 824 North Ercadway, Saturday, February 11, at 19:39 a. m. Salt Lake City papers please copy. MOSLEY-On Wednesday, February 18, 1994, 1 12:40 o'clock v. m., George M. Mesley, aged 1 years, Funeral from residence of Edward ource, No. 3415 North Eleventh street, Friday, ebruary 12, at 2 o'clock p. m.

NIEDRINGHAUS—On Tuesday, February 8, 1991, at 2:29 b. m., Christian F. Niedringhaus, dearly beloved husbald of Wilhelminn Niedringhaus (nee Schlake) at Author Theodore W. Niedringhaus and Louisa at Kennes (nee Niedringhaus), after a brief illness, at he from 71 years 9 months and 28 days. Funeral from residence, No. 1825 Warren, Friday, February 12, 1994, at 1:29 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

PERCIVAL-On February II, 1934, at 5:00 a.m., Zachariah Bedford Ferrival, in his seventy-third year. Funeral at 2 n.m., Saturday, from No. 117 Salishury street, under auspices of Beacon Lodge, A. F. and A. M., escorted by St. Louis Commandery, K. T. Leplata and Humansville, Mo., papers please copy.

RASSFELD—On Thursday, February 11, 1994, at 5 o'clock n. m., after a lingering lilness, Albrechi Rassfeld, aged 22 years. Funeral (strictly grivate) from residence, No. 1811 Hickory street, Saturday, February 13, at 2 o'clock p. m.

SULLIVAN—On February II, 1994, at Jate residence. No. 228 South Ewing avenue. Mary Sullivan, mother of Julia Bresnahan and errord-mother of Julia, Joseph, Dan, Martin Bresnahan and Lyda May Cordis. Funeral from late residence. No. 528 South Ewing avenue. Saturday morning, at 8:20 a. m., to 8t. Malachy's Church, thence to Calvary Cometery. Friends invited to attend. Washington, D. C., and Kansas City papers please copy.

THIEMANN-On Thursday, February 11, 1994, at 2:35 o'clock n m., Wilfred, beloved son of Henry and Mathilda Thiemann and brother of Feina Thiemann ared 12 vears and 7 months. The funeral will take place Sunday, the 18th inst., at 2 o'clock n, m., from family residence, No. 423 Lucky street, to Pethania Cemetery, Priends are invited to attend.

WAHLERT-On Wednesday February 10, 204, Mrs. Jennie Wahlert (nee Wuerpel), widow f August Wahlert and mother of Morris E nd Henry A. Wahlert, aged 78 years. Notice f the funeral will be given later.

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Brilliant Company and Handsome Decorations Are Features of Masquerade Affair.

JAPANESE GRASS IMPORTED.

Streamers of Alabama smilax, dotted with popy-colored Japanese lights, spanned the ceiling arch of the Union Club audiorium last night, on the occasion of the

club's annual masquerade ball.

At intervals pendants of Florida me ung as if to proclaim a forest primeval. "Midsummer Night's Dream," with beron and Titania and their fairy crew. presented no fairer multitude than did the variegated crowd when it swung into

some in costume and others wearing their badges of office over evening suits, led the march.

They were: William Giraldin, president as Louis XIV, with Joseph A. Buder; Doctor Eugene Hauck as "King Dodo," with Edgar Mueller; Edward Buder as with Edgar Mueller; Edward Buder as Napoleon on horseback; William Uhri as Prince Henry, with Doctor J. W. Moore: Otto Stifel as "Prince of Plisen." with Louis Holthaus; Julius Hart as Neptune, with Joseph Samesreuther, and Alfred Buschman as Scarecrow, with Ernest Witter.

All about the baliroom were growing flowers. The boxes, which extended along the rear of the room, were banked with greens, as was the musicians' platform.

On the stage was a field of growing California popples, interspersed with tufts of "Eulalia Japonica," the redolent Japanese grass, specially imported from Yokohama.

Among the occupants of the boxes were

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Among the occupants of the boxes were Miss Minnie Busch and a party of friends with Miss Kleuhn of Berlin, Germany, as guest of honor.

Mrs. James P. Newell and Miss Florence Newell, Countess d'Houserville and Mrs. O. E. Foster.

When the revelry on the floor was at its height there entered a German band whose horns of fantastic shape threw the legitimate musicians immediately out of gear.

GERMAN BAND AMUSES

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Chang You Tung was one of the notables among the masquers. His costome of a Chinese bridegroom received martial touch Chinese bridegroom received martial touch from the comedy warrior's masque, which he wore. His rich silk robes and fantastic-colored headdress were much admired. The hallroom decorations were under the supervision of Henry Ostertag, who was assisted by a force of trained decorators who carried out his color scheme.

Dempster Godiove as the Velled Prophet, "Jack" Elbrecht as Faust, and O. W. Burge as William Tell were in costume, while Harry Trow as the "Casino Girl" deceived the women themselves.

The committee in charge were: Joseph A. Buse, chairman; L. C. Holthaus, J. J. Schlange, E. A. Witter, J. J. Samesreuther, Doctor J. W. Moore and E. A. Mueller.

Among those present, and the characters.

McGrath took charge of the gambling squad.

"That order still stands," declared the chief. "Not a word of it has been changed, either in writing or orally."

Several minor gambling games are raided each week by McGrath's squad and the police of the districts, but there are half a dozen places in St. Louis, if not more, where a person can place a bet on the races at New Orleans or the California tracks.

the amount they bet, whichever way their luck may go.

No arrests have been made recently in connection with this form of gambling. Nearly all of those taken in have been charged with shooting craps or playing policy.

The February Grand Jury, now in session, is expected to take up the investigation, and it is understood that efforts will be made to ascertain whether any of the handbook makers are being permitted to accept bets, almost openly, with promises of police protection.

FAMOUS ST. LOUIS BATTERIES

tracks.

Men who are known to the handbook makers can even telephone their bets and receive their money the next day or pay the amount they bet, whichever way their lack may are

V. Mott Porter Read a Paper on "Early Artillery History."

V. Mott Porter read a paper on "Early Artillery History" at the monthly meeting of the Missouri Historical Society, No. 1600 Locust street, last night. His paper dealt with the part that artillery played in the war of 1812, but more particularly in the war of INI, but more particularly he recounted the history of artillery companies of St. Louis since 1840.

Mr. Porter described the march of Battery A of St. Louis over the Santa Fe trail into Mexico, a distance of more than 2,000 miles, during the Mexican War. He credited it with being the longest march ever made by field artillery in the history of war.

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Two Wives Seek Divorce. Mary Agnes Hartman filed suit for divorce in the Circuit Court yesterday against John Hartman, charging that he was cruel to her, called her bad names and falled to support her. They were married at St. Joseph, Mo., June 22, 1898. She asks for the restoration of her maiden name. Steelts. name. Steelts.

Maud M. Williams averred that her husband, John, deserted her May 15, 1901.

They were married June 7, 1899.

Doctor Scherck's Mother III. Doctor Henry J. Scherck, Chief Dispen-sary Physician, departed yesterday for New Orleans, where he was called on ac-count of the sudden illness of his mother.

Stork Visits Crowley's Home. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Washington. Feb. 11.—Representative
Crowley of Illinois will depart to-night
for his home. Mr. Crowley has just recelved word of the birth of a baby girl.

Scrofula

Makes its presence known by many signs,—glandular tumors, bunches in the neck, cutaneous eruptions, inflamed eyelids, sore ears, catarrh and wasting diseases. Hood's Sarsaparilla Effects permanent cures.

UNION CLUB GIVES ANNUAL BALL.

Chang You Tung, Wearing Warrior's Masque, Among the Notable Guests, Attracts Attention.

une for the grand march.

The Board of Directors of the club,

Around the hall marched the motley band and every one upon the floor soon marched in its train, while persons in the bases applauded loudly. This quaint and fantastic company was made up of Messrs. F. Biston, leader: Louis Schlesssteni and Henry Heussler, big bass horns; Fill Steinwender and Harry Prufrock, little bass horns; F. Adler and R. Barns, bass drums; F. Burgholt and M. Braun, shawms; A. Nasse and M. Nasse, piccollinas; O. Blanke and A. H. Feuerbacher, cymbals; R. L. Blanke and M. Feuerbacher, snare drums.

Many dainty costumes were worn by the ladies, some of whom conspired against the men by wearing identical costumes. Of these, three young women, dressed as grizettes, were most successful, as even when they were together it was difficult to tell them apart. They were Misses Gerardi, Leonori and Schnurmacher.

One of the prettiest costumes was that of Miss Ollie Moerschell, as "Queen of the Woods."

Miss Rassieur, as the Firefly, lent a charming touch of gold and black to the circle of men maskers which besieged her for dances.

Fully 600 persons were on the floor and they varieolored calcium lights turned on them gave the effect of a kaleldoscope. The boxes were comfortably filled with those who did not mask.

CHINESE GUEST. boxes applauded loudly. This quaint and

As a result, it is probable that the Police Board will take up the matter at its meeting this afternoon, and inquiry will be made into reports that gambling games are permitted to run in the city.

It is not unlikely that Detective Thomas McGrath, who commands the "gambling squad" of the Police Department, will appear before the board, as will also several of the men who compose the squad.

Asked what the Police Board would do to suppress gambling in St. Louis, President Frye said: "I do not care to discuss the question. I have given my personal opinion of gambling and still maintain it. "I am opposed to gambling in certain forms, and am in favor of enforcing all the laws which apply to gaming. But as to what action the Police Board may take, or what the views of its members may be, or what the views of its members may be, will the Police Board take cognizance of the published reports that handbooks are made at certain places, almost openly?" President Frye was asked.

"I feel safe in saying that that matter will be gone into." replied Mr. Frye. Chief Kiely declares that gambling is not permitted in St. Louis under the protection of the police, and referred to his order to Detective McGrath to put a stop to "any and all gambling," which was issued when McGrath took charge of the gambling squad.

"That order still stands," declared the

CHINESE GUEST.

Muciler.

Among those present, and the characters they represented, were:

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Hinckel, Spanish maid.

I. W. Kroeger, fire.

T. Rembauer, college gracuate.

H. B. Buse, daisy.

I. W. Hart, daisy.

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Walter Medart, daisy.

Charles J. Leppert, daisy.

August Steinmeyer. Spanish sirl.

W. K. Roth, college graduate.

M. Nulsen, Quaker.

A. H. Curtis, Demeralda.

Alfred Ruschman, leap year girl.

W. M. Dee Hecker, Night.

C. O'C. Max, gypsy.

Sylvester C. Judge, cherries.

C. W. Johnson, Mexican dancing girl.

Robert Collins, fisher maiden.

T. W. Howlett, Mexican dancing girl.

Paul Woolf, fisher maiden.

J. D. Manley, fending girl.

Philip Medart, Mme. Pompadour.

O. Doerr, tennis girl.

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G. Elesmeyer, fashion plate.

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G. Hesmeyer, fashion plate.

M. Eyessell, Japanese girl.

W. F. Drosten, Mishler.

Olga Enders, rocon.

Albes Guth, Japanese girl.

G. Riesmeyer, fashion plate.

M. Eyessell, Japanese girl.

W. F. Drusten, Missibs.

Olga Enders, rocoon.
Alice Guth, Japanese girl.

Clara Curdie, Alton, Ill.: German peasant.
Florence Lynch, Japanese,
Irma Anbenser, daisy.
Adelaide Berne, Queen of fairies,
Emma Coester, summer.
Dorothy Anheuser, American beauty.
Agnes Hart, baking powder girl.
Corinne Endems, baking powder girl.
Helen Benecke, butterfly.
Gladys Byers, Alsace girl.
Corinne Endems, baking powder girl.
Helen Benecke, butterfly.
Gladys Byers, Alsace girl.
Charlotte Schleuter, folly.
Gussie Bauer, schoolgirl.
Lottle Bauter, Spanish dancer,
May Stanley, little Princess.
Marie Ebbert, Twentieth Century girl.
Estelle Leidner, Spanish dancer,
Dakota Grimm, red pretael girl.
Carrie Rebstock, newsgirl.
Alvina Conrad, newsgirl.
Hidda Fruth, telegraph girl.
Clemence Nulsen, Quaker girl.
Newschamm, Leynysan girl.
Mahel Strauss, Quaker girl.
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Mahel Karler, copy's bride.
Lilly Anheuser, Chrysanthemum.
Tatal Christer, copy's bride.
Edith Gundelach, Schoolgirl.
Mae Verbry, valentine.
Ida Woestman, leap year girl.
Alma Woestman, leap year girl.
Rose Botty, old-fashioned girl.
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Rose Botty, old-fashioned girl.
Hercelina Losse, Summer girl.
Edite Ruthardt, Chinese girl.
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Lillie Koope, 1885 girl.
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Lillie Lohmeyer, rowing girl.
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Lillie Koope, 1885 girl.
Editelle Ruthardt, Chinese girl.
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Friede Buehler, California girl.
Elias Schoen, schoolgirl.
Gertrude Hartnett, French doll.
Ada Burg, poppy.
Lydia Burg, Gypsy girl.
Nancy Gerardi, French soubrette.
Jessie Leonori, French soubrette.
Jessie Leonori, French soubrette.
Stella Schnurmacher, French soubrette.
Oille Moerschell, queen of the woods.
Anna Riesmerer, Topsy.
Bernice Nulsen, Topsy.
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Bertha Rebstock, Folly.
Minette Endera, Crawford old maiden,
Emily Borzen, Kansas City, French maid.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

THE EASTER GOW



Mrs. Osborn, the famous artist of dressmaking, the creator of styles for the smart set of New York, in the March Delineator gives the most important fashion news looking forward to Spring and Summer styles. The planning of every gown, she says, now hinges upon the style of its skirt. No woman should plan her Easter costume without carefully studying this letter. In it she

will find the secret of correct dressing told in type and shown in illustrations. In this issue there are more real helps for the well dressed woman in perfecting her Easter gowns and her Summer clothes than in any other authority. This number alone is worth more to her in the consciousness of being well gowned than the cost of a year's subscription. Besides the skirt Mrs. Osborn tells of collar effects and coats.

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Leo Robert, Florodora Sextet,
Leo Jr., Leo Revent,
Leo Robert, Leo Revent,
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Leo Robert,
Leo Robert,
Leo Rassleur, Popoguid,
F. L. Lampel, schoolboy,
A. Steinmeyer, Spaniard,
Sylvester C. Judge, David Garrick,
P. H. Lenz, tin peddler,
Richard Wock, Lord Fauntleroy,
W. G. Drosten, boy,
Oscar Doort, Colonel,
C. B. Norris, German miller,
Walter Meslart, German miller,
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Lengster Godlove, Velled Prophet,
Cheng Yow Tong, Chinese bridegroom,
O. W. Burge, William Telli,
Walter Diehm, Uncle Sam,
W. K. Roth, chef,
William Lampel, Pierro,
A. H. Curtis, George Washington,
R. A. Huermann, Colonial gentleman,
F. A. Beneke, American Colonel,
C. L. Blanke, cake walker,
Jack Elbrecht, Faust

GORMAN'S NAVAL POLICY OPPOSED.

House Committee Urges Construction of More Than Usual Number of Cruisers.

Washington, Feb. 11.-In the report of the naval appropriation bill to the House to-day, by Chairman Foss of the Naval Affairs Committee, the gauntlet thrown down by Senator Gorman in his announced policy of internal improvements in place of naval construction is taken up with

The report says: "The committee recommended the construction of more than the usual numbe of cruisers, in view of the fact that last year we provide for five large battle-ships. This will give a better proportion

to our navy.
"If we judge public sentiment, it is in favor of the continuance of the policy of building up our navy. If we stopped now we would be left behind the leading countries of the world. "The American will not indorse the pol-

internal improvements, nor is there any such necessity. "Foremost and above all must stand considerations of national defense, mainte-nance of our foreign policies and protec-tion of American citizens everywhere. The American people are not willing to lessen their influence on this hemisphere, nor forsake their interests on the other." FUND NEEDED.

icy of sacrificing the American navy for

The appropriatoin for new ships for the navy, as well us the completion of those now under construction, is dealt with in the report as follows: "To complete all the ships authorized up

"To complete all the ships authorized up to the present time, including their construction and machinery, armor and armament and equipment, will cost \$82.718,659, which may be divided as follows:

"Construction and machinery, \$46,532,450; armor and armament, \$35,786,209; equipment, \$400,000.

"Of this sum we appropriate in this bill \$19,826,850 for construction and machinery and \$12,000,000 for armor and armament, making a total oil \$31,896,640, which leaves a balance of \$20,891,659 to be paid hereafter."

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cost of each to be \$2,100,000.

The total cost of the above programme will be \$23,885,000.

It is left within the discretion of the Secretary of the Navy to build any or all of these ships in Government navy yards in case that it shall appear that the ship-building concerns have entered into any combination or understanding to deprive the Government of fair and unrestricted competition in letting contracts for the construction of any of the vessels.

It is stated that the greatest naval problem of the day is the training of men for the navy. An increase of 3,000 men is provided for and a training station on the great lakes is recommended. When this station is completed and the facilities for training men increased, a larger yearly increase will be demanded.

The report gives in detail, illustrated with colored plates, the strength of the various navies of the world. The total amount of the bill is \$86,388,038.

A text for discussion of the Panama Canal question is furnished by Mr. Foss in his comments on the necessity for a naval station in Cuba. After stating the items in the appropriation for this work, amounting to \$85,000. Mr. Foss speaks of Guantanamo as follows:

"It could not be better located to conserve the interests of our counter or this

amounting to £35,600. Mr. Foss speaks of Guantanamo as follows:

"It could not be better located to conserve the interests of our country on this change, £200.

hemisphere—first, for the protection of our interests in the West Indies; second, for the defense of Panama Canal; third, for the maintenance of the Monroe Doc-trine.

NAVAL BASE IN ORIENT. As to the necessity of the proposed na-val station at Olongapo, Phillippine Islands, for which the bill carries \$862,395

"In view of our great interests in the East, 7,000 miles away from home, with a large fleet there at all times to protect those interests, it would seem almost those interests, it would seem almost criminal negligence on the part of Con-gress not to provide a naval station, where our ships could be docked and repaired. The rapidly developing compileations of the whole Eastern situation demand that our navy should be made as effectual as possible.

Inventory of Barry Estate. An inventory of the estate of Thomas J. Barry, filed in probate yesterday, sets forth a personal estate of \$43,231, consist-of stocks \$37,950, goods and chattels \$281 and life insurance, \$5,000. The stocks comprise \$19,400 in the Barry-Wehmiller Machinery Company of St. Louis, \$9,750 in the Barry-Wehmiller Machinery Company of

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